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The Harlem-bred hip-hop chanteuse loves clothes that are as racy as her music. ELLE takes a peek inside Kelis's fabulously eclectic wardrobe. By Kerry Potter

Black and Purple Jacket by Charlotte Solnicki

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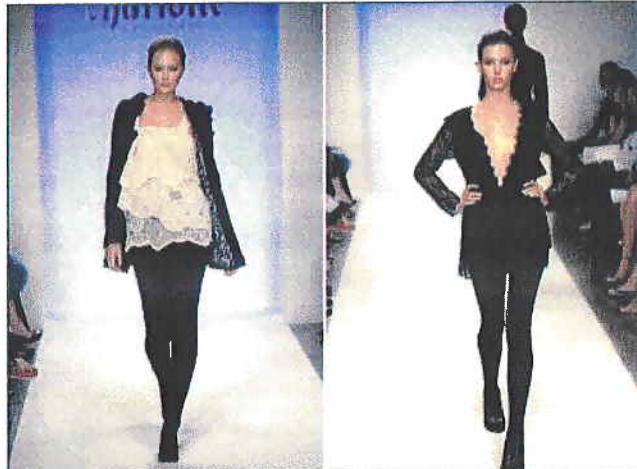
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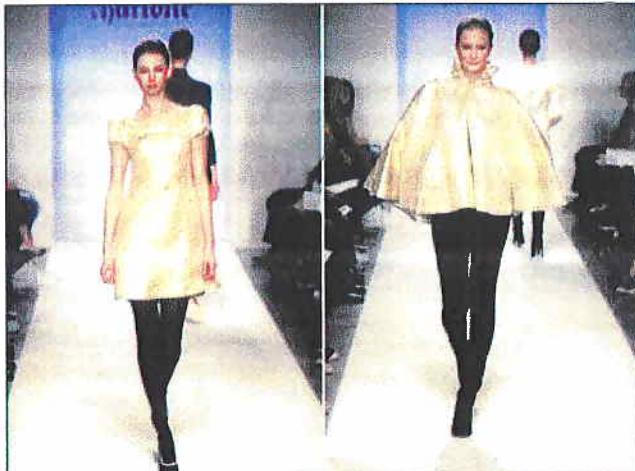
Charlotte Solnicki Fall/Winter Collection 2007 - Fabulous Femininity

By Kate Aucella

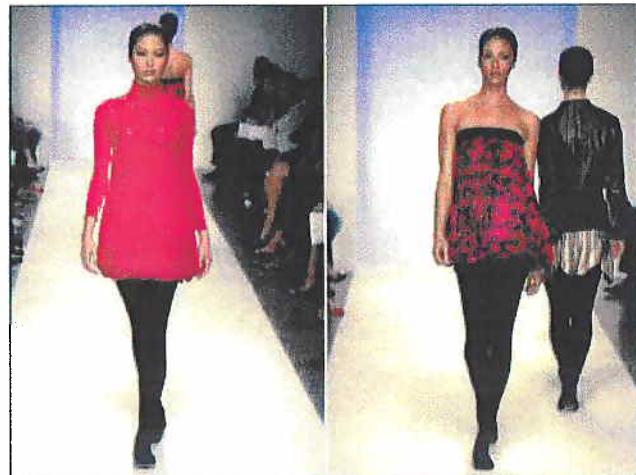
Although I had lived in LA for over six years, I had never been to a fashion show, let alone to Fashion Week, and was lucky enough to attend four shows at Smashbox Studios for Mercedes-Benz Fashion Week. My fabulous day of fashion firsts began with Charlotte Solnicki's 3 pm show. By the time the third model neared the end of the catwalk, I was observing with a half-open mouth a collection that seemed to be full of what fashion magazines like to refer to as 'must-have items.' I say this because I love clothes (particularly dresses) that are both fun and functional, with an easy-to-wear edginess that seemed to be the mantra of this collection.



The drool-worthy designs managed to embody both a sexy sophistication and prim-and-proper playfulness, alternating between slinky strapless and v-neck creations. There were high-necked dresses and tailored jackets, adorned with ultra feminine accents in the form of cap sleeves, lace, tiny buttons, and ruffles. Shown over black tights and velvet leggings, Solnicki successfully produced that rare and righteous blend of 'polished rock-n-roll.'



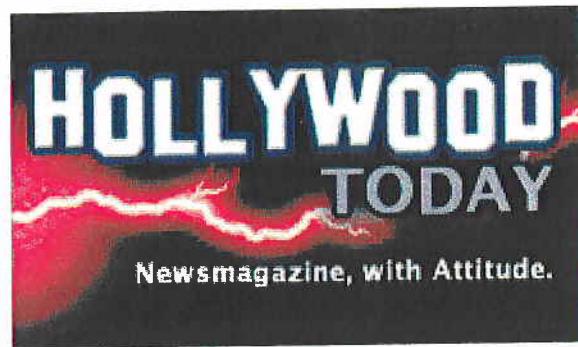
Standout pieces included a halter-neck black pantsuit that I would consider cutting out carbs in order to wear, and two splurge-worthy leather pieces, including a distressed jacket with a gathered waist, and a fitted vest that was modeled by 'America's next Top Model' runner-up Jade, who, although famously left her mark as "the girl everyone loved to hate," looked every bit the top model as she strutted her stuff in what was most definitely a top design. Breaking up the predominantly black and neutral line were playful hot pink and metallic-patterned dresses, lending just the right amount of color and contrast to a collection that I would classify as high-style simplicity.



The show's finale consisted of the models doing a final walk down the runway each with a birthday cake in hand, to celebrate the designer's birthday. The Solnicki family has more than just birthdays to celebrate these days; Started in 2002 by brother-and-sister partners Melina, Jessica, and Jonathan, the Charlotte Solnicki line has since become a multi-million dollar business. Their collection, which is a mix of the family's native Argentina-meets-New York City, is sold worldwide at stores such as Saks, Lisa Kline, Planet Blue, Intermix, and more. Many A-list celebrities have been seen wearing the designer's creations, including Jennifer Lopez, Lindsay Lohan, Nicole Richie, Eva Longoria and Jessica Simpson. I also spotted the lovely ladies of The Hills' cast (Lauren Conrad, Heidi Montag, Audrina Partridge) getting photographed after the show, where Lauren Conrad was snapped wearing a hot-pink Charlotte Solnicki dress.



The fall collection was inspired by the Studio 54 era, and the dark, moody make-up paid homage to legendary fashionistas such as Twiggy and Edie Sedgwick. This was my first and favorite show, and I hope to see (and wear!) much more of Charlotte Solnicki in my fashion future.

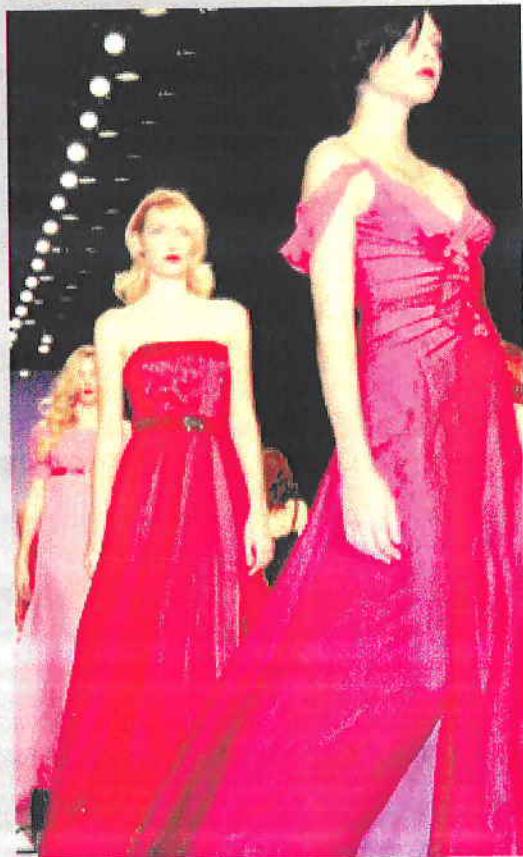


Reporter's Notebooks: LA Fashion Week ends with a Bang

Sunday, March 25th, 2007

Our three fashionistas find the best and brightest in Fall 2007 Fashion Week collections

By Karen Ostlund, Lesa Amoore and Michelle Foody



Runway takeoff at fall
photo by Lalie Katavazi

HOLLYWOOD, CA (Hollywood Today) 3/25/07 — LA Fashion Week ended on a high note with parties all over Hollywood and a glam slam of runway shows at Smashbox in Culver City. With 23 showcases in the official Mercedes Benz Fashion Week and an equal number in LA Fashion Fortnight, we barely had a chance to highlight enough great designers and their cool fall collections. So we present a dozen more highlights from our Fashion Reporter's notebooks and encourage readers to discover their own favorite fall looks from the hundred-plus photos in the slideshows and videos we are running in current and upcoming pages.

Charlotte Solnicki finally got to show her collection on closing day after three days of delay for technical reasons, perhaps a shortage of razors. Hers is a young fresh line for women who don't mind showing off their legs. It's all about the blouson and tulip effect of dresses and tunics. They are cut well above the knee with matching stockings. She gave a presentation of lace or silk dresses with low V-cut front cleavage. Also above the knee black wool-jersey dresses with thin black vinyl borders and belts.

Thrive's Fall 2007 combined modernism and romanticism. Fabrics include chiffon, metallic satin and wool-cashmere gabardine as well as French lace, Italian sweater knits and Japanese woolens. The colors for this season are taupe, blush brown and midnight blue with basic colors shades in black and heather grey.

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Argentine designer Melina Solnicki debuted her [Charlotte Solnicki](#) Fall/Winter 2007 Collection on her birthday, Thursday, March 22, 2007 at 3:00PM in the Lightbox during Mercedes Benz Fashion Week at Smashbox Studios.

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VALERIA: Top de tul bordado, \$462. Miss Sixty. Falda de lamé, \$850. Mat y Morelo Ricciardi

ELIZABETH: Vestido strapless, \$900. Charlotte Solnick

Estilismo: Josefina Bugallo. Maquillaje: Beatriz (rimbo) con productos Lancôme. Peinado: Estudio 1

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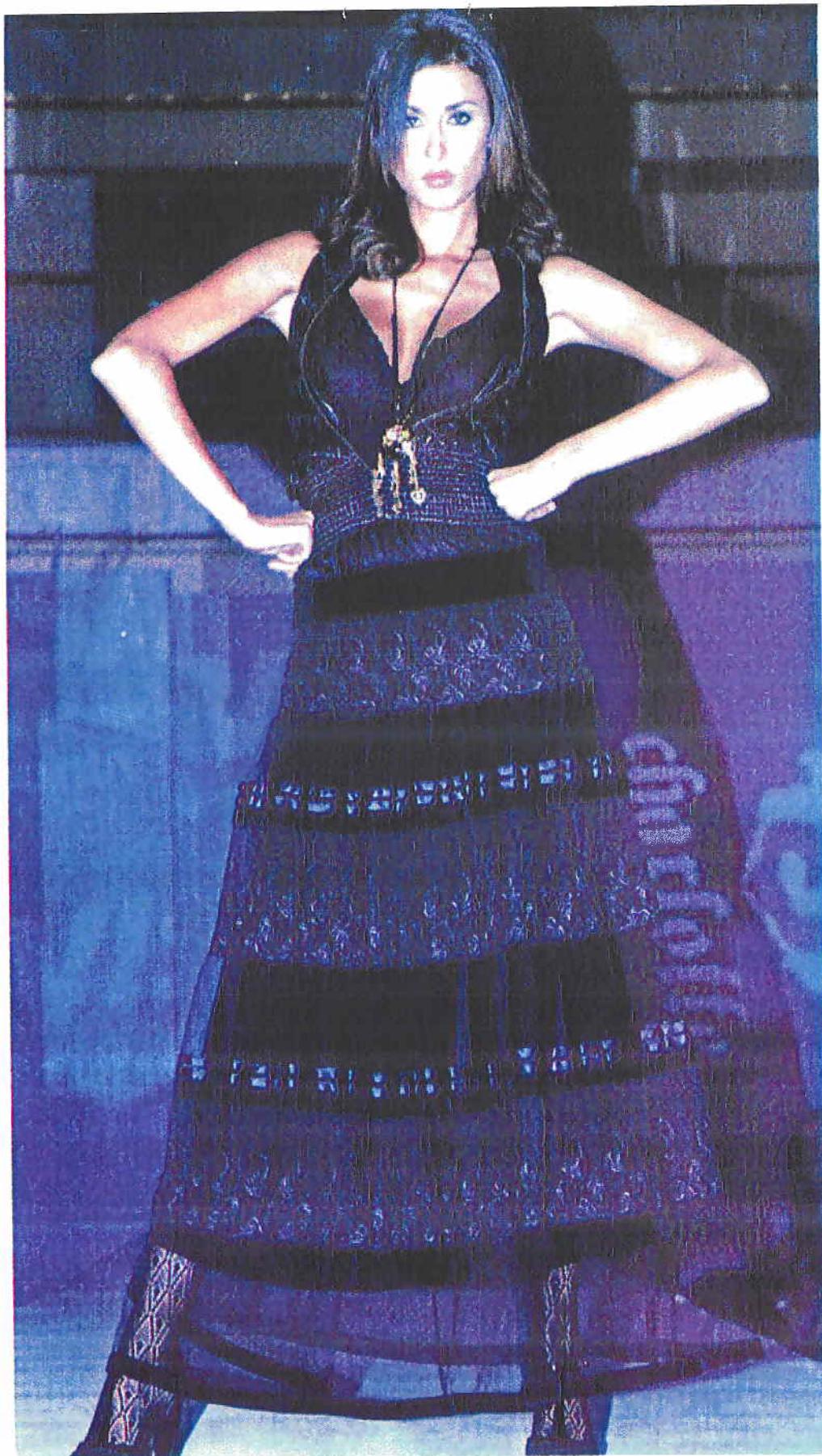
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ZQUIERDA
Boleto de encaje,
\$280, Charlotte
Solinicki.
Minifalda de
encaje y
fentejuelas, \$350,
Charlotte Solnicki.
Zapatos con
encaje, \$212,
Mishka.

DERECHA
Polera estampada
sin mangas,
\$265, Adolfo
Dominguez. Aros
Trinity, Cartier.



► **SOLNICKI**

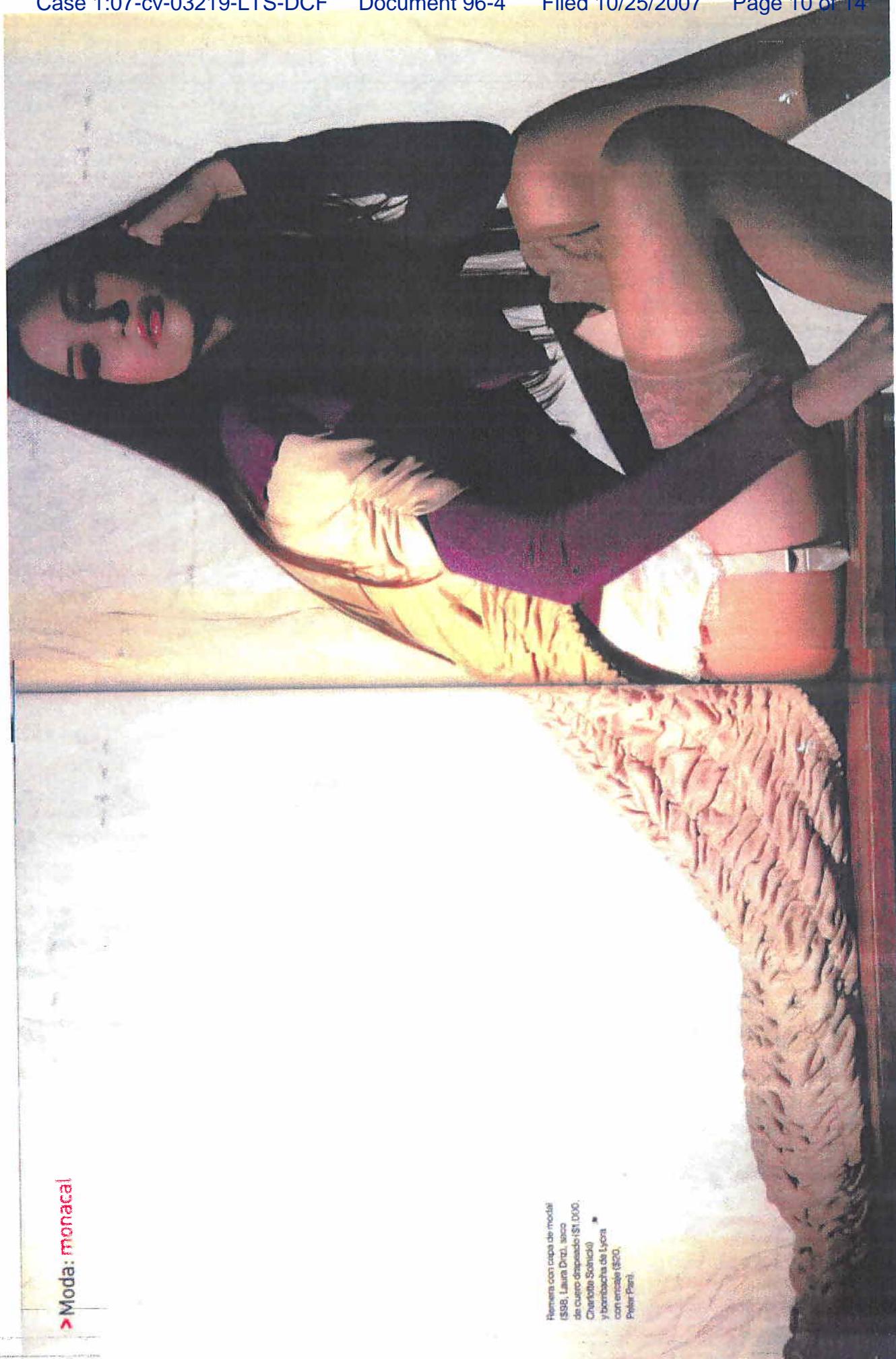
Negro sobre negro. Diferentes texturas y materiales para un equipo de noche audaz y sexy: maxi pollera que combina gasa, terciopelo, encaje y seda en franjas y se combina con un top de satén y un chaleco escotado.

EL ENCAJE

Paula: vestido con corte debajo del busto y volado en el ruedo (S 438).

System Basic y torera de encaje (S 280, Charlotte Solnicki). Aros con borlas (S 70, Mai Cossat).





► Moda: monacal

Faldilla con cinta de malla
(SSB, Laura Biagi, seco
de cuero despedido (\$1.000,
Charlotte Schenck) ■
y bombacha de lana
con encaje (\$20,
Polar Point).



Saco cruzado de lana (\$395,
Portsaid), corsé de satén con
trazos de terciopelo (\$450)
y falda drapada con enagua
de encaje (\$150,
Charlotte Spivack).



On Shannon:

Dress by Charlotte Soinicki
Jewelry by Marie-Lise Lachapelle

On Katie:

Top and Skirt by Anait Bian
Bracelets by Kara Ross & Marie-Lise Lachapelle
Ring by Kara Ross

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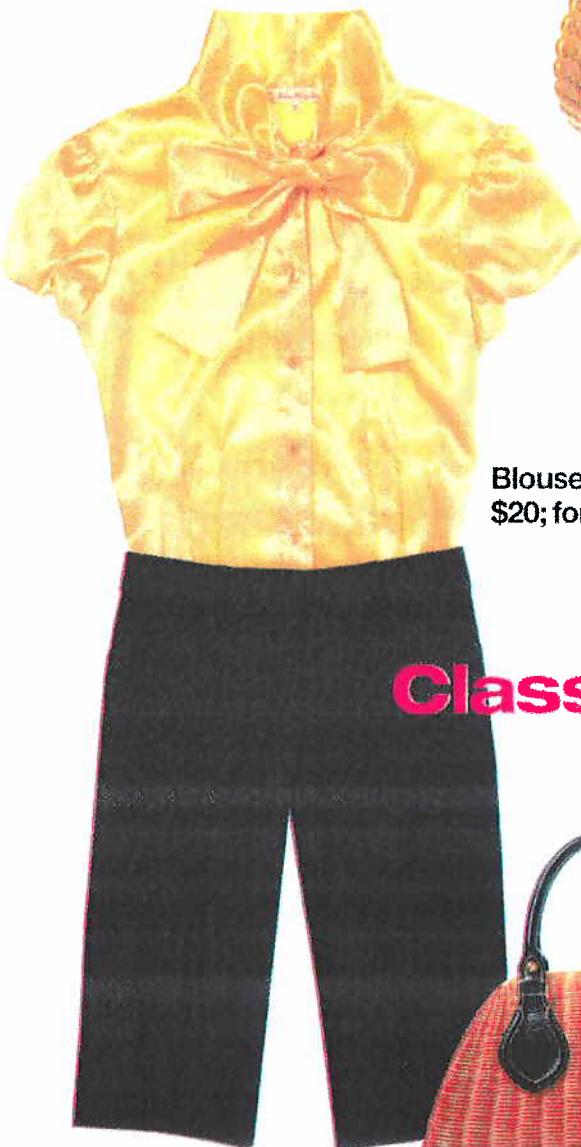
Summer's top trends

JULY 9, 2007

► Bangle,
Yochi Design,
\$32; 516-557-2162



► Yochi Design,
\$45; maxand
chloe.com



Blouse, Forever 21,
\$20; forever21.com

Classic

▲ Shorts,
Express, \$40;
expressfashion.com



▲ Maxx New York, \$295;
maxxnewyork.com



Sexy

► Shorts,
Charlotte
Solnicki,
\$174; lisa
kline.com



▲ Lorelei, \$328;
loreleinyc.com

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Charlotte Solnicki
Elizabeth lace top, \$345;
available at Intermix,
Miami. Little King Jewelry
stackable gold rings, price
upon request;
www.littlekingjewelry.com.

